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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: PATRICK IZQUIERDO ET AL.
Serial No.: 09/389,386 Group Art Unit: 3726
Filed: SEPTEMBER 3, 1999 Examiner: T. NGUYEN
Title: METHOD FOR SURFACE TREATMENT OF THE INTERIORS
OF ENGINE CYLINDER BORES, AND CYLINDERS MADE BY
SAID METHOD

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is accompanied by a Petition under 37 CFR §1.136(a) for a three month extension of time and a check in the amount of \$920.00 in payment of the required extension fee.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2001.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-2, 15-16, 18, 20, and 22, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

Please amend Claims 3-4 and 10-11 as follows:

C, Sub 9.17 3. The method of claim 23, wherein the dry cutting is performed by drilling, brushing, knurling, circular milling or combinations thereof.

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